## S. 1843

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

 ${\bf September~4,~2002}$  Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

## AN ACT

To extend certain hydro-electric licenses in the State of Alaska.

- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

## SECTION 1. STAY AND REINSTATEMENT OF FERC LICENSE

- 2 NO. 11393.
- 3 (a) Upon the request of the licensee for FERC
- 4 Project No. 11393, the Federal Energy Regulatory Com-
- 5 mission shall issue an order staying the license.
- 6 (b) Upon the request of the licensee for FERC
- 7 Project No. 11393, but not later than 6 years after the
- 8 date that the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission re-
- 9 ceives written notice that construction of the Swan-Tyee
- 10 transmission line is completed, the Federal Energy Regu-
- 11 latory Commission shall issue an order lifting the stay and
- 12 make the effective date of the license the date on which
- 13 the stay is lifted.
- (c) Upon request of the licensee for FERC Project
- 15 No. 11393 and notwithstanding the time period specified
- 16 in section 13 of the Federal Power Act for the commence-
- 17 ment of construction, the Commission shall, after reason-
- 18 able notice and in accordance with the good faith, due dili-
- 19 gence, and public interest requirements of that section, ex-
- 20 tend the time period during which licensee is required to
- 21 commence the construction of the project for not more
- 22 than 3 consecutive 2-year time periods.

Passed the Senate August 1, 2002.

Attest: JERI THOMSON,

Secretary.